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**VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, &c., &c.,**  
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 Catalogues will be issued.  
 Terms:—As usual.  
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 Hongkong, May 8, 1915. 417

**PONIES! PONIES! PONIES!**  
**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
 THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, "OWNER HAVING LEFT THE COLONY," on  
**SATURDAY,**  
 the 22nd May, 1915, at 5 p.m., at the Polo Ground, Causeway Bay, the  
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**THE BIRD—Grey Pony, 13.4 very fast short distance pony.**  
 Terms:—Cash.  
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 Hongkong, May 18, 1915. 418

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
 THE Undersigned have received instructions from M. D. DEXTER, Esq. (Consul for Peru), to sell by Public Auction, on  
**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY,**  
 the 26th and 27th May, 1915, commencing each day at 2.30 p.m., at his Residence, Windsor Lodge, Austin Road, Kowloon,  
 THE WHOLE OF HIS  
 VERY VALUABLE  
**HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,**  
 therein contained.  
 Comprising:—  
 Upholstered Furniture, by Wm. Powell, and Lane Crawford, (practically new), Massive Blackwood and Cherrywood Cabinets, Arm-chairs, Card Tables, Fire Screens, &c., Reversible Turkish and Axminster Carpets and Rugs, A quantity of Chinese and Japanese Porcelain and Bronzes, Curtains, Paintings, Pictures, Solid Brass Fenders, Fire Brasses, &c., Handsome Dining Room Suite (Queen-Anne design), Sundry Electro-plated Ware, Large Dinner Service, Very Fine Japanese Tea Service &c., Teakwood Dining Room Suite (Twin Bedsteads) New Hair and Wire Mattresses, Toilet Sets, Linen &c., Bath-room, Pantry, and Kitchen Requisites, &c., &c.  
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 (Full Particulars from Catalogue.)  
 On view from Monday the 24th May.  
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 Hongkong, May 12, 1915. 425

## BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

FROM time immemorial Prisoners of War have evoked pity and sympathy. The agony and humiliation of the British Prisoners must be indescribably acute and galling. But from that state of suffering there can be no redress, it being part of the fortunes of War, but the lack of comforts and food stands in a different category. This want will grow in volume and intensity as the days go by.

As a result of an official organisation having been created recently to carry parcels to the British Prisoners in Germany, insuring proper transmission through a neutral carrier, the "KHAKE" Magazine of Imperial House, Kingsway, London, has started a Fund to supply food and comforts for those who have no relatives or friends to look after them, as it is known that these poor fellows are not getting a proper supply of food.

An Appeal is made to you for TEN DOLLARS only, as there are so many demands made upon you in other directions. This money will go for the direct benefit of the Prisoners, as there is no cost of transmission and no waste of any description, information having been established showing the kind of food and clothing etc., which can be sent without confiscation by the German Government.

This Appeal should get a large response as there is no other Fund which deals with this particular condition.

The "KHAKE" Magazine and Cabled News Sheet was created primarily as a gift for the Overseas Soldiers, bringing them late news from their homes. It is now supplying, free of charge, in addition to the Soldiers at the Front and in Training, the various Hospitals in England and France, as well as the Grand Old Fleet. It is a purely patriotic endeavour and in no way commercial.

When the "KHAKE" Magazine was founded, amongst the many who gave their support and expressions of goodwill for the work it had undertaken were:

The Duke of Wellington, K.G., The Duke of Manchester.  
 The First Lord of the Admiralty, Countess of Zeland.  
 Lady Lever.  
 Mrs. Leopold de Rothschild.  
 Lieut-Gen. Sir Robert Baden-Powell, K.C.V.O.  
 The Rt. Hon. Austen Chamberlain, P.C., M.P.  
 Lord Desborough,  
 Viscount Bryce,  
 Lord Willoughby de Broke,  
 Earl of Kintore,  
 Sir William Bull.  
 The Rt. Hon. Sir Charles Johnston, Lord Mayor of London,  
 The Rt. Hon. J. E. Rayner, Lord Mayor of Liverpool.  
 The Rt. Hon. W. H. Bower, Lord Mayor of Birmingham,  
 The Rt. Hon. James Taggart, Lord Provost of Aberdeen,  
 The Rt. Hon. Crawford McCullagh, Lord Mayor of Belfast.

All Subscriptions will be published in this paper, and you are requested to send yours to any Office of THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA, and mark it "KHAKE PRISONERS' FUND". The Subscriptions will also be duly acknowledged in the Magazine and various Newspapers in England from time to time.

### AN APPEAL TO THE SIKHS.

Sacred Duty to Serve Great Britain.

The Civil and Military Gazette (Lahore) has been asked to publish the following message from the Sikh Committee, Ludhiana district, to the Khalsa Panth:—

Beloved Brothers!—All of us know perfectly well from the past and the present history of the British nation that they have always been taking the side of the weak and the oppressed against the haughty and aggressive. In pursuance of their noble traditions they have lately entered the battle field to support the righteous cause of the weak nations of Europe, namely, Belgium and France, whose very existence was in peril without the timely help of the British. The Sikh history also proves that we from the very beginning of our existence have been defending the cause of the weak against the oppressor.

We are proud that the Providence has placed our destinies under a Government whose traditions coincide with the religious maxims laid down by our Gurus. Hence it is the sacred duty of every Sikh to serve our kind and beloved Government at the present occasion. It is a pride and pleasure for us to see that our brothers have been fighting under the British flag in Afghanistan, Egypt and Chitral, and are at present fighting side by side with their British comrades under the three different continents. But it is really painful to see that a few foolish, illiterate and misguided returned emigrants are doing mischief and thus trying to disturb the public peace. These short-sighted, ignorant and silly creatures do not realise their utter incapacity to damage even in the slightest degree the firm and solid British Government which is based on justice and righteousness.

Brothers, you all know that these mis-  
 sionary persons are not Sikhs at all, because many of them have got their heads and faces shaved, and indulge in smoking. As such they deserve not the least sympathy from us, but they should be strongly and openly condemned and looked upon as the enemies of our faith. Moreover, these poor, ignorant men are playing fool in the hands of certain scoundrel-mongers who being black-hearted and covetous do not wish to come forward and suffer the consequences of their devilish deeds, but would like to injure the well-earned reputation of our community by taking hold of such plots. Brothers, beware of these mischief-mongers and do not even dream of going astray from the noble path chalked out by our Gurus and treaded upon by our forefathers; but walk on their footsteps and offer your all to the British Government on this critical occasion.

This Government has been brought over us by the prophecy of our Ninth Guru in order to liberate our country from the clutches of all evil influences. It is under the guidance of merciful Akal Purkh that the British officers have brought to this country peace, prosperity, liberty of religion and gift of learning. Hence there seems to be absolutely no reason why any of us should swerve from the obligation we owe to the Government. Our means and prayers should spontaneously flow towards our King-Empress who has unlimited resources at his disposal and is sure to achieve glorious victory in the present war.

The appeal is signed by Sardar Bahadur Dal Singh, Raja and Honorary Magistrate, Malabar, President of the Sikh Committee, Ludhiana district; Mhai Arjan Singh Sahib, Raja and Honorary Magistrate, Bagriani; Chowdhri Dhan Singh, Zaildar, Dhandhari Khurd, Tahsil Ludhiana; Chowdhri Bir Singh, Zaildar, Ghungana; Subadar-Major Bahadur Pensioner Sardar Utam Singh, Gujranwala; Dhai Mohinder Singh of Musamrai, district Ludhiana; Sardar Shirdi Singh of Lalton Kahan district Ludhiana; Sardar Ragbir Singh Raja and Honorary Magistrate, Tahsil Samrala; Sardar Dalip Singh, Raja, Ludhiana, Tahsil Samrala; Chowdhri Harman Singh, Honorary Magistrate and Zaildar, Mohanpur Tahsil Samrala; Sardar Thakur Singh, Zaildar and Jagirdar, Bhari, Tahsil Samrala; Chowdhri Kiran Singh, Zaildar, Mohi, Tahsil Jagroa; Chowdhri Partap Singh, Zaildar, Lalan, Tahsil Jagroa; Chowdhri Mit Singh, Zaildar, Qulha, Tahsil Jagroa; Chowdhri Saata Singh, Sub-district, Jagroa; Tahsil Jagroa; the Hon. Sardar Bahadur Sardar Gajjan Singh, Secretary, Sikh Committee, Ludhiana district.

Lord Incheke, speaking at the Mansion House on the occasion of the presentation to Capt. Bell, of the Thetis, for sinking a German submarine, said the ship, which had not the speed to escape from a submarine was almost certain to be sunk, and therefore attack was the best means of defence. Admiral Von Tirpitz never made a greater mistake than when he imagined that his "sunk at night" or his "ten minutes to get into the boats" would bow the heart of the British sailor or of those who took passage in British ships. Their attitude was summed up in a remark by Captain Dowell, of the Calcutta, when he said "good-bye" to him. Capt. Dowell said: "If we see one, sir, we shall either sink him or give him a good run for his money."

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## THE CIVIL SERVICE ESTIMATES.

The Civil Service Estimates for the year ending March 31, 1916, have been issued, and we give below the total details concerning the various services, especially to China. The figures enclosed in parentheses are last year's votes and are given for purposes of comparison. Where no comparison is made, the figures are the same as last year.

**DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR SERVICES.**  
 Under the heading of "New Works, Alterations, Additions, and Purchases (including Furniture in connection therewith)," are the following votes:—Police: Provision of water supply, heating system, electric generating plant, and ice-making plant, £1,000; Canton, Consulate-General: Installation of water supply and baths, £300; Hankow Consulate-General: Installation of water supply and baths, £120; Nanchang Consulate-General: Alterations and improvements in accommodation, £200; Shanghai: Re-building servants' quarters, Second Vice-Consul's house, £350; acquisition of new sites in China, Japan, and Korea, £300. THE DIPLOMATIC SERVICE.

China.—Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary £3,000; Consul-General, £2,000; Chinese Secretary, £300 (1914); Commercial Attaché, £1,000 and £107 for rent; Chaplain, £200. Physician, £300 and £50 local allowance.

China.—The total estimates for the Services in China (partly repayable from Indian revenues) are £73,678 (£74,578). The votes are as follows:—Salaries, allowances, and travelling, £5,550; rent allowances, £2,000; postage, £300; incidental expenses, £2,000 (£2,750); prices expenses, witnesses, deportations, &c., £700; medical attendance, £148 (£1,000).

China.—The votes under the heading "Shanghai, Court and Consulate-General" are as follows:—Judge, £1,800; Consul-General and Registrar of Shipping, £4,200; and £300 local allowance (not pensionable); Assistant Judge, £1,200 (including allowance of £100); a Judge of the High Court at Wei-hai-wei; Consul, £300; Crown Advocate, £300; Registrar, £300 (£250); Chief Clerk (Court), £100 (£350); with £100 allowance as Official Receiver in Bankruptcy (to be reconsidered in 1916); Assistant Clerk (Court), £200 (£250); Marshal (Court), £220 (£210); Usher (Court), £135 (£130). Total, £7,970 (£7,915). Then come the votes for the Consuls as follows:—Amoy, £300; Canton (Consul-General), £1,000 and £300 local allowance; ditto (Vice-Consul), £400 (with a local allowance of £100); Chang-sha, £300; Chefoo, £300; Cheung (Consul-General), £300 and £100 local allowance; Chingking, £300; Chungking (Vice-Consul), £300 and £100 local allowance; Foochow, £300 and £100 local allowance; Hangchow, £300; Hankow (Consul-General), £1,000, with £200 local allowance; ditto (Vice-Consul), £300, with a local allowance of £100; Harbin, £300, with a local allowance of £100; Ichang, £300; Kiating, £300; Kiuchow and Pakhoi, £300; Mukden (Consul-General), £300, with a local allowance of £100; Nanking, £300; Nanchang, £300; Ningpo (Vice-Consul), £300; Swatow, £300; Tientsin, £300; Tientsin (Consul-General), £1,000, with local allowance (not pensionable) of £200; ditto (Vice-Consul), £300, with local allowance of £100 (not pensionable); Tsinan (China), £300; Tsingtau (Consular Agency), £100 (office allowance) (free allowance of £100); Wuchow, £300; Wuhu, £300; Yunnanfu, £300, with local allowance of £100 (not pensionable). Total, £24,400. There are also votes for Assistant and Students as follows:—Twelve first-class at £300 a year each, £3,600; fifteen second-class at £250 a year each, £3,750; Interpreters' allowances to Assistant, eight at £100 and nine at £50 a year each, £1,250; allowance to assistant employed in Chinese Secretary's office, £200; allowance to assistant as accountant at Peking, £200; allowance to senior assistant in Consulate at Peking, £100; ditto to assistants in Mixed Office, Shanghai, £150 and £100; ditto to assistant in Land Office, Shanghai, £150; ditto to assistant in Shipping Office, Shanghai, £200; ditto to assistant in charge, Pakhoi, £100; twenty-two student interpreters at £250 a year each, £5,500 (£5,250); prizes for ditto, £75, and to provide allowances to make up students' salaries to £200 a year each (whilst serving as assistants), £350 (1914). Total, £18,775 (£18,325). There are the usual votes for tea, 15s. writers, linguists, £4,237 (£4,600); constables, postmen, porters, coolies, and others employed on public service at the different Consulates, £3,088 (£3,489). The total amount for salaries, allowances, and wages, is £61,800 (£62,228), less from the deduction of £1,000, is made on account of savings by vacancies, &c., leaving as the final total £60,800 (£61,228). The vote for outfit and travelling comprising allowances for passages of Consular officers, student interpreters, and others, is £5,550, rent allowances, £2,000, and postage, £300. In this section there is also, under the heading of "Incidental Expenses" a vote of £1,539 (£1,600) for allowances assigned to the Court and different Consulates for office contingencies, including extra boat hire, hostman, coolie hire, &c., and £165 (£220) as allowances for purchase of coal. There is, in addition, a vote of £7,050 for incidental expenses of mission and of Court and Consulates not included in fixed office allowances, making a total for incidental expenses of £2,774 (£2,970). From this £194 (£220) is deducted for printing, stationery, post-

age, and prison expenses, paid from fixed allowances, but chargeable under other sections, leaving £2,580 (£2,750). The remaining votes are:—Prison expenses, witness, deportations, &c., £700; medical attendance, £1,438 (£1,000).

**TELEGRAPHIC SERVICES.**  
 Under the above head are the following items:—Fees, fines, &c., connected with the Services in China, £19,500. GRANTS IN AID OF LOCAL REVENUE.—Under the above head there is a vote of £3,500 (£3,000) for Wei-hai-wei, required in connection with the territory during the year commencing April 1, 1915. There is also a vote of £200, contribution to the funds of the University of Hongkong for the purpose of providing King Edward VII. Scholarships, tenable at this University by British subjects.

**TELEGRAPHIC SERVICES.**  
 Eastern Extension, Australasia, and China Telegraph Company.—A subsidy of £1,000 a year in respect of the working by the company for H.M. Government of a cable between Chefoo and Wei-hai-wei, commencing from Sept. 5, 1900. It is payable as long as the company may work the cable and maintain the connection between it and the Tientsin-Chefoo-Shanghai Cable.

### INDIANS' LETTERS.

Qualit Addressed From The Fighting Lines.

In "Blackwood's Magazine," there is, under the title, "From an Indian Post Office in France," an amusing but sympathetic account of the difficulties Indian soldiers, now serving the Empire on the Continent, have in addressing letters to their relatives at home. The same difficulty applies to the folk in India, but, as the writer of the article says, it is all very well to laugh at their quaint efforts.

"Which of us," he says, "could shape better, or as well, if we had to address our letters in a foreign language with a strange character? Black and bad spelling have often gone together, and a stout heart is a better possession than unlimited erudition. So we laugh very kindly at the literary vagaries of these honest fellows to whom the whole Empire owes so deep a debt of gratitude. Some very queerly addressed letters arrive from India to be dealt with at this post-office in France. This is what some of these would look like if the address were in English:—

This envelope to the Country of France to the European War. May it reach to Division No.—Brigade No.—Regiment No.—Trop No.—to the hand of my beloved son—  
 Sonar. Highly important and an answer is desired at once.  
 Written by — from village Post Office — Tahsil District — on the 5th January, 1915, at 3.30 p.m.

Among letters addressed to the force it is not unusual to find some consigned to the land of Europe, to the country of King France." But it is when the writer, whether in India or France, gives way to a natural impulse and attempts to address his letter in English that the most bizarre effects are produced. Letters from France to England and from England to France show certain general characteristics in their addresses, and some brilliant phonetic spelling. The first thing noticeable is the prevalent confusion between Brighton and Barton (in both of which places hospitals for Indians have been opened). But this is of less consequence, because London looks so large that it is not infrequently absorbed into both. Thus, if the writer be intelligent, a letter addressed to

"A. B. YOUR PLEASE, BERTON, LONDON, WILLAYAT." The last specimen address quoted is not explained, and the writer leaves it to the solution to the ingenuity of the readers. It runs:—  
 "FATHERLY KHAN" No.—MELIUS COURSE DIVISION With 58 RIFLES INF IN FRANCE.

In a letter to the Central Association of Volunteer Training Corps the Army Council says with regard to the undertaking every volunteer of military age gives that he will join the Army if called upon. "This undertaking is not a mere formality. If a man who may be called upon is not in a position to fulfil his engagement, he can leave the corps." The Volunteers now number 300,000 men; 30 new corps, with a membership of 2,437, have been formed recently.

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**NO. 2, QUEEN'S GARDENS, 1st April.**  
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 Apply to:—  
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**SECOND FLOOR, Powell's Building, 5, Arty Road. Lift, Light. Immediate Possession.**  
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**HOUSES in "TORRES BUILDINGS," "ROSE TERRACE" and "DURBAR," Kowloon.**  
 Apply to:—  
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**HOUSES in CLIFTON GARDENS, Conduit Road.**  
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**WILKINSON & CRIST, Solicitors: H.M. or HO PAK LAM.**  
 Comprodes Department Sander, Wiedel & Co. H.K.  
 Hongkong, May 13, 1915. 423

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**A HOUSE in Kowloon Terrace.**  
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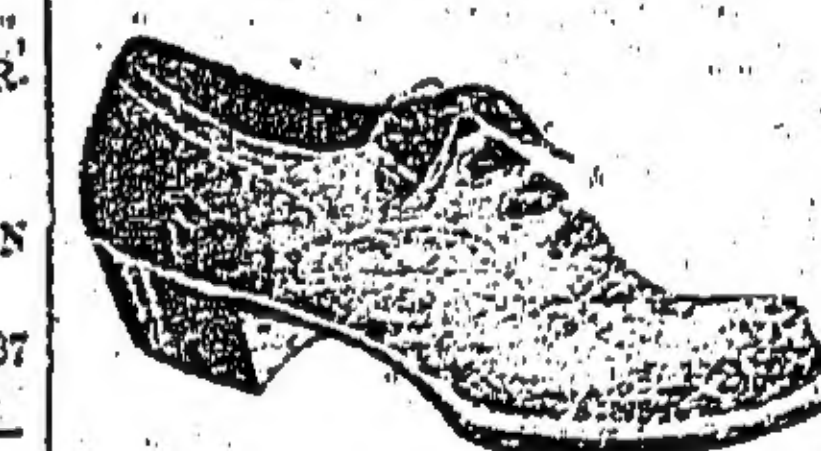
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## THE DIARY.

## MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW.

9.15 p.m.—"The Quinte" at the  
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## General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, May 21 & SATURDAY, May 22—  
9.15 p.m.—"The Quinte" at the  
Theatre Royal, City Hall.

FRIDAY, May 21—  
2.30 p.m.—Auction of "Teakwood" and  
Blackwood Furniture at Messrs.  
Hughes and Hough's.

SATURDAY, May 22—  
Noon.—H.K. Electric Co's. Meeting.

SUNDAY, May 23—  
White Sunday.

MONDAY, May 24—  
White Monday, Empire Day, Public  
Holiday.

ANNIVERSARY of the birth of Queen  
Victoria (1819).  
ANNIVERSARY of the death of Confucius.

TUESDAY, May 25—  
Noon.—Pak Tseung Co. Meeting.

WEDNESDAY, May 26—  
Queen Mary's birthday (1867).

THURSDAY, May 27 & FRIDAY, May 28—  
2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture  
at Wind-up Lodge, Austin Road,  
Kowloon.

FRIDAY, May 28—  
H.K. Stock Exchange Settlement Day.

SATURDAY, May 29—  
Decorations Day (U.S.A.).  
Trinity Sunday.

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the conflagration of Europe." He

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Novicow, and the Belgian, Professor  
Furstenhof, might very well assure us  
that French had an excellent chance  
of becoming one of the world's inter-  
national languages, but despite these  
statements our pessimists shrugged  
their shoulders and said repeatedly:

"No; our population is declining.  
Our importance diminishes. Why  
pursue a chimera? But we shall  
not hear any such remarks in future.  
As happened under Louis XIV. and in  
the Revolution, the success of French  
will once more contribute to the  
development of French influence and  
prestige."

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

A passenger on the s.s. Lam Hai was  
charged this morning with being in pos-  
session of fifty rounds of ammunition suitable  
for rifle use. He was fined \$50.

The total output of the Kallan Mining  
Administration's mines for the week  
ending May 8 amounted to 68,868 tons  
and the sales during the period to 74,036  
tons.

In last night's issue we inadvertently  
mentioned that the 9th hole knock out com-  
petition at Funging would be played next  
Sunday. The competition will be held on  
White Monday, 24th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bullis, Mr.  
R. H. Sullivan and the rest of "The  
Quintet" returned to the Colony today  
in the s.s. "Sibola." They show no  
signs of fatigue, however, Friday and  
Saturday.

A Chinese, who was charged this  
morning with stealing about a dollar's worth  
of sugar from the Sugar Refinery at Tai-  
koo, said that he was told to take the sugar by  
a man whom he did not know and who had  
asked him to steal it on several occasions.

It is believed that the British bat-  
tle-ship and the French battleship sunk in  
the "Tientsin" has been sent to the bottom  
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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss E. G. Baylis returned today by  
the s.s. "Kaituma" after spending a  
holiday in Japan.

Mr. Reid, the newly appointed Chief  
Engineer of the R. N. Dockyard, arrived  
on the English Mail today. Mr. Dixon  
leave for home on the 9th.

The Tsar, Emperor Nicholas II of Russia,  
celebrates his 47th birthday today. In  
honour of the occasion a Russian auxiliary  
cruiser, two Japanese cruisers, and the  
U.S. "Albatross," moved in the harbour,  
gaily decorated with flags and rainbow  
banners.

The following Consular Service appoint-  
ments are announced:—Hon. Mr. Par-  
ter, Esq., to the Majesty's Consul for the  
Consular District of Waikato, to reside at  
Waikato; Hon. Mr. Parter, Esq., to the  
Majesty's Consul for the Consular District  
of Waikato, to reside at Waikato; Hon. Mr.  
Parter, Esq., to the Majesty's Consul for the  
Consular District of Waikato, to reside at  
Waikato.

See Lieutenant Thomas Guy Poo-ck,  
Liverpool Regiment, who died in April 3  
in hospital at Rouen of wounds received in  
action near Neuve Chapelle, aged 26  
years, was the only son of the late  
Capt. T. G. Poo-ck and Mrs. Poo-ck,  
formerly of Hongkong. Old resi-  
dents in the Colony will remember  
that Capt. Poo-ck was murdered by pirates  
on the Douglas steamer "Nagasaki" on  
December 10, 1890, when about three  
hours out from Hongkong, off the island  
of Ping Hai.

## WHITEWASHED KERBS.

The Commissioner of Police is asking  
all the London local authorities to whitewash  
the street kerbs during the present re-  
duction of street lighting, the experiments  
that have been made in whitewashing of  
this kind having proved useful.

BRITISH CUSTOMS  
OFFICER SHOT.SMUGGLERS SERIOUSLY OUT-  
RAGED NEAR MACAO.

A British customs officer, named Martin,  
employed by the Chinese Customs, is  
reported to have been murdered by smug-  
glers while carrying out his duties. A  
watchman is also reported to have been  
killed.

From information to hand, it appears  
that Martin and three watchmen were on  
duty on the east of Pak Shui at 4 a.m.  
on the 12 inst. at a point well-known to be  
dangerous, and where a foreman, who was  
killed and another wounded some time ago.  
Martin and his men saw a boat approaching  
from Macao and evidently going in the  
direction of Chikshan. They hailed the  
boat, in order that it might be searched.  
Five men were observed to be on board the  
boat, and each appeared to be carrying a  
bundle or package around his body  
together with firearms. Martin moved  
alongside with the intention of boarding  
the boat. The smugglers opened fire at  
once, and a killing Martin instantly with  
two revolver shots in the body. A watch-  
man, it seems, was also killed. Of the  
two remaining watchmen, one jumped into  
the sea and the other fled to the shore.

The smugglers, alarmed at the sound of  
fire, which they anticipated would bring  
assistance, all jumped into the water and  
swam for the shore, leaving behind their  
boat and three revolvers.

The outrage was immediately reported  
to the Chinese authorities who wired to the  
British Consul at Macao to send a party to  
arrest the smugglers within five days. It  
is further reported that three of the men  
have so far been arrested.

## SANITARY BOARD.

The ordinary fortnightly meeting of the  
Hongkong Sanitary Board was held yester-  
day, the President, (Mr. G. S. Orme) pre-  
siding. Present, Mr. G. S. Orme, President;  
The Vice-President, (Hon. Mr. W. Chatham,  
M.C.), the Hon. Mr. F. A. Hewitt,  
M.C., Colonel Gordon Hall, Dr. Fitz-  
Gibbon, Mr. P. W. Goldring, Mr. Chan  
Ming, Mr. Hon. Mr. The Medical  
Officer of Health (Dr. W. W. Parsons), and  
the Secretary to the Board (Mr. W. Bowen-  
Reynolds).

THE BOARD FOR INDIANS.  
There was a short discussion on the  
advised application for permission to  
erect six water-closets and eight urinals at  
the proposed school for Indians at Seok  
Poo.

Hon. Mr. Hewitt proposed, and Colonel  
Gordon Hall seconded, that the application  
be refused.

Mr. Fitzgibbon said he thought this was  
a matter of a very serious nature and it would  
be a pity if the Board refused to grant the  
application. He said that the school for  
the boys if they had to make use of the  
out-of-date and insanitary conveniences.  
The President said it was estimated that  
there would be about 200 at the school.

The Vice-President said that under exist-  
ing conditions it would be impossible to  
grant the application. He said that the  
President said it would be inadvisable to  
refuse this application. In the happier  
days in which some members of the Board  
lived forward and when a sewer was pro-  
vided, they could make another application.  
He said that the Board should not refuse  
the application because it would be a dis-  
grace to the Board.

## PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

An Appeal for Funds.

IF proof were needed of the fact that  
British prisoners in Germany are not only  
deprived of the ordinary comforts of life  
but many cases are actually kept short  
of necessary food and clothing, it is to be  
found in the letters which have reached  
England from the men themselves.

It is hard to think that the men who  
have been captured while fighting their  
country's battles are in actual want and  
we are sure the appeal made by the  
publishers of "Khaki" for funds which  
will be used to relieve their lot will, despite  
the many calls upon the generosity of the  
residents of Hongkong, meet with a ready  
response.

A letter has been received by the  
Darling Mission Association from the  
Minister of the country serving with the  
"Expeditionary Force" in France paying  
tribute to the memory of one of its men,  
Wilson, M.P. They state: "We feel we  
have lost the guiding star in the mining  
industry, whose character was beautiful and  
noble."

The "Paris Journal" of Paris reprints  
an official German document authorizing  
Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diar-  
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## TYPHOON WARNING

The following telegram was received from  
the Manila Observatory at the American  
Consulate General at 4 p.m. to-day:—  
Cyclone or typhoon S. E. of Malabonima.  
Direction unknown.

## OPIUM IN TRUNKS.

DISCOVERY AT THE HONG-  
KONG HOTEL.

The discovery of 80 balls of Malwa  
(Indian) opium, valued at about \$2,200,  
as exclusively reported in the "China  
Mail" on Saturday, was revealed before  
Mr. Wood at the Magistracy this afternoon.  
A Chinese boy being charged with unlawful  
possession of the drug. The opium, which  
was found in two trunks presumably made  
expressly for the concealment and con-  
veyance of opium, each being in a case,  
was found in the Hongkong Hotel.

Mr. Dunlevy, harbour "runner" of the  
Hotel, said that defendant brought the  
trunks ashore to the Hongkong Hotel from  
the "Hirano Maru," which had arrived  
from the south. On board the vessel defend-  
ant said the trunks belonged to a Mr.  
Cohen. But at first he said he was going to  
take them to the Hotel China at West  
Point.

Detective Sergeant Pinchock, present in  
court, said on the 11th inst. he boarded the  
"Hirano Maru" on her arrival and saw  
defendant hand over the boxes to the  
Hongkong Hotel runner. Four days after he  
saw defendant in the Manager's room at  
the Hotel. He asked defendant if he had  
brought any luggage ashore and defendant  
replied by asking him if he was a friend of  
Mr. Cohen's. Witness said "Yes," and  
defendant then pointed out the boxes,  
saying that he did not have the key to  
the Hotel. He asked defendant if he had  
brought any luggage ashore and defendant  
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saying that he did not have the key to  
the Hotel.

## CANTON ITEMS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, March 15.  
POLICE PROTECTION FOR JAPANESE SHOPS.  
Although the Chinese Japanese negotia-  
tions have been settled, yet the Chinese  
people are very angry with the Government  
because the Japanese demand of Japan was  
not met. In view of the temper of the people,  
the Chief of Police has detailed special  
troops to guard the Japanese shops in  
Canton.

STAMP TAX IS SHARPER.  
On the 12th inst. Governor Li received  
despatches from Peking to the effect that all  
Chinese residents on foreign consulates  
were expected to use revenue stamps on  
all legal documents the same as other  
people. Chinese residing on Shanghai  
have been notified accordingly.

## MADE IN CHINA? PAMPHLET.

Since the European War the various  
provinces of China have been endeavouring  
to induce their people to use native goods  
as much as possible. The Government has  
decided to issue official encouragement to  
the movement and has accordingly appointed  
delegates to visit each province and help  
on the good work as much as they can.  
Mr. Chan Shue Ching, the Minister of  
Commerce, has telegraphed that he has  
been assigned to Kwang Tung and that he  
leaves for Canton on the 15th inst.

## NEW FINANCIAL COMMISSIONER.

The newly appointed Financial Commis-  
sioner took up the work of his office on the  
13th inst. by counting the money in the  
treasury very carefully, a significant action.  
He found his predecessor had, in a moment  
of confusion, overlooked and left behind  
him \$74,416.25.

## GOVERNMENTAL CHECK UPON EXPENSES.

In order to limit provincial expenses,  
the General Government has sent the  
following figures to the Canton authorities  
as their limits in the offices named:  
General's office ... \$120,000  
Governor's office ... 200,000  
Financial Commissioner's office ... 200,000  
Treasury office, each ... 200,000  
Magistrates, First class ... 8,000  
Magistrates, Second class ... 6,000  
Magistrates, Third class ... 5,000  
Supreme Court ... 20,000  
Lower Courts ... 5,000

## GERMANY'S INITIAL ERROR.

Her Best Troops Sacrificed.

The main fact in the following story of  
Captain Stempel, Aide-de-Camp to General  
von Ertels, is that the day will come when  
Dr. Langer, head physician of the hospitals  
at Liege, Dr. Langer said that the Ger-  
mans would soon be driven out of  
Belgium.

Quite so, replied Captain Stempel,  
"but it is a good thing that the day will  
come when the day will come when we  
shall have to give up our beautiful country!  
I am quite aware of the fact and have no illusions  
about it. I know, and our higher command  
knows, that we have lost the rubber. But  
it is the fact of the higher command, who  
at the beginning of the war were counting  
on a speedy victory, and without counting  
on our best troops to their doom. We  
sacrificed too many men at the begin-  
ning. It was a very great mistake."

## NOW IS THE TIME.

FOR rheumatism you will find nothing  
better than Chamberlain's Pain-  
Reliever. Now is the time to get rid of it.  
Try this liniment and see how quickly it  
will relieve the pain and soreness. For  
sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

## THE HOME TURF

THE SPRING NEWBURY CUP WON  
BY LORD ROSEBURY'S WRACK.

Lord Rosebury's good handiwork,  
Wrack, was an easy winner of the New-  
bury Spring Cup on April 10. He also  
won the Spring Cup at Newbury a year  
ago, and possibly not quite so fluently as  
this time. The noble owner of this  
versatile horse is to be congratulated,  
and, indeed, there was much genuine  
pleasure that the famous colts were  
made to prevail. Nevertheless, repeat-  
ing would have been for more general  
and satisfaction more complete had not  
the horse run at Lincoln in such a way  
as to suggest that he could not beat  
others for the Newbury race. The change  
of form was quite a drastic thing. What  
chances had he on that Lincolnshire  
handicap running of beating Outram and  
Cheerful, who had both finished in front  
of him at exactly the same weight? It  
was not that Wrack was unfancied at  
Lincoln through being short of work.  
Actually he started equal first favourite  
with the winner. I have heard of Don-  
ghue, who rode him, blamed for doing  
an impetuous, head-strong race, but that  
policy, with all his experience, would  
not ride the stable-hand race that he was  
deaf to have done. I could see no  
sound reason why the tables should be  
turned so completely as was actually  
proved the case, but many other people  
were quite content for their own reasons  
to ignore the form, and in consequence  
they were winners over the horse's suc-  
cess at Newbury.

On this occasion Rickaby had the  
mount, and the most have felt fully a  
quarter of a mile from home that his  
horse would win. At that time he was  
racing with a bunch on the stand side,  
conscious with him being Woodville,  
Ambush, and Outram. In the centre  
of the course were two racing clear by  
themselves, and then after another gap  
was the little lot on the rails side. This  
included the favourite, Blue Stone, and  
Diadumene. It is possible that those  
on the stand side were always in front  
of the lot on the other side, but because  
they were better seen by the people in  
the stands this latter came in for most  
attention. A quarter of a mile from  
home Blue Stone was going well, but  
almost immediately afterwards Outram was  
seen to pick up his whip and apply it  
once or twice. The action caused the  
other horses to look at him with some  
distrust.

## AN EASY VICTORY.

Wrack was seen to emerge from those  
with whom he had been racing, and  
responding most willingly to Rickaby's  
hand-riding, he came on smoothly to win  
with two lengths to spare. Outram was  
his nearest attendant passing the post,  
and then came Woodville, whose forward  
running was encouraging to his owner,  
considering that the horse can probably  
be made fitter. Diadumene was fourth  
and Blue Stone fifth. Outram probably  
ran better than he did at Lincoln, as  
shown by the greater distance he finished  
in front of Cheerful and Chatterbox.

The fact makes Wrack's improvement  
all the more notable. I am inclined to  
suggest, however, that the Lincolnshire  
handicap in some of its aspects may have  
been a false-run race. It is true that  
View Law did what he was expected to do,  
but both the trainers of Wrack, and  
Outram were not satisfied that their  
horses gave their true running.

I could see no reason for Blue Stone's  
failure. He had every chance, had he  
been good enough for Stern had him,  
smartly away, and he always held a  
new position, with no interference of any  
kind. The way he was buckled indicated  
he was not so confident as he was  
expected to win. His owner, Mr. J. B.  
Joel, had little or nothing on him, but  
that was because he rarely launches out  
now, and never at any time on anything  
like the scale he used to do when that  
side of racing had attractions for him.  
He confesses he has no inclination to  
have a bet of any kind now. Yet, al-  
though he was not present, it was fairly  
well known that the horse had given  
every satisfaction in a recent test win.  
The head-hunt of Sunfish with Let Fly  
was evidence that the Wanless horse  
was well and forward, and as Wrack  
seemed to be held side on the Lincoln  
form, the success of Blue Stone was  
an immensely strong order in the mar-  
ket, and from 8 to 1 his price tumbled  
down to 2 to 1, finally being 3 to 1 at  
the start.

But this horse and Diadumene you  
could have had 10 to 1 the field. Wrack  
was once backed at 8 to 1, but when the  
staple set in after Blue Stone, the  
price of Lord Rosebury's horse receded.  
It is a long time since I have known a  
favourite for a big handicap so held to  
back as was Mr. Joel's horse. It is  
also a long time since Mr. J. B. Joel won  
a big handicap, and yet the professional  
element in racing, who may be said to  
set the lead, require only a minimum of  
encouragement to support his representa-  
tives. The fact says much for the re-

## GROUP.

THIS disease is so dangerous and so  
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mother of young children should be pre-  
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## HOME FOOTBALL

## RESULTS.

(Up to April 12.)

## The League.—DIVISION I.

Blackburn Rovers v Tottenham H. ... 1  
Sheffield Wed. v Chelsea ... 2  
Bolton Wanderers v Newcastle United ... 0  
Manchester United v Middlesbrough ... 2  
Oxford Athletic v Sheffield United ... 0  
Sunderland v Bradford City ... 1  
West Bromwich A. v Everton ... 1  
Reading v Aston Villa ... 2  
Nottingham Forest v Burnley ... 0

## DIVISION II.

The Arsenal v Bury ... 1  
Fulham v Gloucester ... 0  
Clapton Orient v Preston N. End ... 1  
Birmingham v Grimsby Town ... 0  
Millwall v Leyton Orient ... 1  
Leeds City v North Forest ... 0  
Lincoln City v Huddersfield ... 1  
Stockport County v Rameley ... 1  
Wolverhampton W. v Blackpool ... 0  
Derby County v Bristol City ... 0

## Southern League.

Croydon Common v Exeter City ... 0  
Millwall Athletic v Portsmouth ... 1  
Queen's Park R. v Swindon Town ... 2  
Southend United v Crystal Palace ... 3  
Plymouth v Wrexham United ... 0  
Northampton v Gillingham ... 0  
Southampton v Brighton & H. A. ... 2  
Reading v Cardiff City ... 1  
Watford v Norwich City ... 1  
Telford Rovers v Luton Town ... 0

## BRAID AND THE WAR.

## Italian Government's Attitude.

WITNESS'S SIGNIFICANT STATEMENT.

Further evidence regarding the effect of  
the war on the export and import trade in  
dyed goods was given in the Summary  
Court this morning in an action (pat  
heard) brought by the J. Hing firm against  
the Italian firm of G. Martini; and an  
interesting reference was made to the  
attitude of Italy to her allies.

The plaintiff firm is claiming \$1,000  
damages for the non-delivery of twelve  
cases of llama braid which the defendants  
agreed to supply under a contract.  
Evidence given at the last hearing in sup-  
port of the defence, that the defendants  
were unable to obtain delivery owing to  
the effect of the war upon the dyeing and  
wool industries was supported this morning  
by Mr. G. F. Bena, who was until recently  
manager of the defendant firm.

Previous to this the present manager  
was cross-examined by Mr. R. C. Faithfull,  
who is appearing for the plaintiff.  
Mr. Faithfull elicited from the witness  
that one reason why the goods were not  
delivered was the prohibition in Italy by  
the Italian Government; another was the  
difficulty of obtaining dye, in consequence  
of the war. The witness said, was a  
matter of common knowledge.

Mr. Faithfull said that up to now the  
Italian Government has remained neutral.  
Witness: Yes; but it might not be so  
in the future.  
Judgment was reserved.

## NEWBURY SPRING CUP HANDICAP OF 1827.

1 mile.

Lord Rosebury's b h Wrack, by Robert  
Jo Diabolo-Samphire, 6 yrs. 8-12  
(F. Rickaby) 1  
Mr. P. Nalke's b h Outram, 6 yrs.  
8-12 (Wing) 2  
Mr. E. Hulton's ch e Woodville, 4 yrs.  
7-12 (Donoghue) 3  
Mr. J. B. Joel's Blue Stone, 5 yrs.  
9-12 (G. Stern) 4  
Mr. P. E. Hrylowina's Cigar, 6 yrs.  
8-12 (E. Piper) 5  
Mr. D. Fraser's Ambassador, 4 yrs.  
8-12 (F. Bullock) 6  
Mr. C. Wadham's Fitz Yuma, 6 yrs.  
8-12 (H. Harber) 7  
Mr. J. G. Wilson's Cheerful, 5 yrs.  
8-12 (O. Tigg) 8  
Lord Althorpe's Diadumene, 6 yrs.  
8-12 (Prou) 9  
Mr. J. East's Le a Bod, 4 yrs.  
8-12 (J. Clark) 10  
Mr. K. Jones's Happy Warrior, 4 yrs.  
8-12 (H. Robbins) 11  
Mr. J. Buchanan's Draughtman, 4  
yrs. 8-12 (W. Griggs) 12  
Mr. B. J. Farquharson's Mount Wil-  
liam, 4 yrs. 7-12 (Gardner) 13  
Mr. P. Dilly's King's Scholar, 4 yrs.  
7-12 (Fox) 14  
Mr. J. Ivell's Prevoyant, 6 yrs.  
7-12 (G. Fox) 15  
Mr. J. Ivell's Prevoyant, 6 yrs.  
7-12 (J. H. Martin) 16  
Mr. E. Turner's Gunbarter, 4 yrs.  
7-12 (A. Whitley) 17  
Mr. P. Broome's Chancellor II, 4 yrs.  
7-12 (R. Cooper) 18  
(Winner trained by W. Martin, at Wey-  
hill, and bred by Owner.)

## JULY 22, 1913.

Setting—3 to 1 against Blue Stone, 9 to  
2 Diadumene, 10 to 1 each Outram and  
Draughtman, 100 to 9 Wrack, 100 to 8  
each Cigar, Cheerful and Prevoyant, 100  
to 7 Chancellor II, 20 to 1 each King's  
Scholar, Chatterbox, Woodville, and



## BY TELEGRAPH.

## THE PROGRESS OF THE WAR.

## GERMANS BADLY DEFEATED ON THE YSER.

## 150,000 GERMANS KILLED IN LAST YPRES BATTLE.

## A MILE OF THE GERMAN LINE PENETRATED.

## NEW AND IMPORTANT RUSSIAN SUCCESSES.

## THE AUSTRIAN ARMY IN FLIGHT:

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## BRITISH ARTILLERY WORK PRAISED.

## GERMANS' ARTILLERY MASTERED AND THEIR LINES BATTERED.

LONDON, May 18.

Correspondents in Northern France describe the British preparations for the attack at Festubert as the finest artillery work so far. They smashed the wire in a most effective manner, hence the casualties were less than might have been expected from the nature of the fighting.

The Germans were astonished by the thunder of the British guns, as they had been given to understand that we were short of ammunition. The Germans during the past fortnight had been shooting from their trenches "Wait till the 15th" when, apparently, a terrific onslaught had been planned but the 15th found their artillery mastered and their lines battered.

The extraordinary German losses are estimated at 150,000 in the last battle of Ypres alone. Their exhaustion and the reinforcements available have upset the German plans.

The British who had been quiet since the enemy's failure of the 6th inst., after much consideration decided to risk a night attack.

There has been slow and persistent bombardment for several days but there is nothing to indicate the direction of the attack which was opened at 11.30 on Saturday night.

## FIELD MARSHAL FRENCH VISITS THE TROOPS.

LONDON, May 19, 6.30 a.m.

Field Marshal French on Saturday afternoon rode among the troops and was received with acclamation. He spoke a few inspiring words to the men, all of whom are very keen.

## PENETRATING THE GERMAN LINES.

All the movements took place after dusk and at night and moonless for the greater part. The British Left, which led, stormed the German line with bayonet and grenades, then the Left and Centre rushed up and with the bayonet took two lines of trenches. The attack of the extreme Left suffered severely from Maxim fire, but the Indians on this side eventually penetrated the opening made by the Left Centre and began to outflank and break down the defences. Facing their original point of attack, under severe fire, the German rear at dawn was quickly mastered by our heavy guns. A fresh and formidable British line from the right advanced at three o'clock in the morning and by eleven o'clock had penetrated a mile of the German lines.

## IMPORTANT RUSSIAN SUCCESSES.

## THE AUSTRIAN ARMY FLEEING IN DISORDER.

LONDON, May 18, 12.45 p.m.

A Petrograd "communique" states that the magnitude of the Austrian rout at Bukovina entirely nullifies their temporary success in West Galicia.

The whole region from the Dniester to Pruth is now in our power and the Austrian army is fleeing in disorder after a terrible defeat, evacuating a powerfully organized position extending a distance of a hundred miles, in the defence of which the enemy sacrificed quantities of life and money. Czernowitz is already ours and the remnants of the Austrian army is flying towards Pruth and doomed to disaster by the brilliant action of our cavalry who are continually trifling themselves on the retreating masses.

The body daily increases. Only at one point is Bukovina demanding attention, namely, at Kolomena where the enemy has been reinforced. The fighting was of a most desperate nature because of the place being a vital railway centre.

The Austrians' failure, which is imminent, will immediately destroy their further resistance over the entire Bukovina region.

The battle of Clavli continues to develop most favourably for us. The Russians crossed the Dniester and attacked the Germans, stormed their trenches, and captured prisoners. We took up a new front between Pilsen and the Upper Vistula and by a sudden attack we inflicted severe losses on the enemy's advance guard while, by impetuous attacks in the Opatow region, we drove back the enemy over seven miles. There has been a violent artillery action from the mouth of the Vistula to Dolina where we took prisoners.

The enemy on the Pruth-Delaty, to Kolomena lines made repeated attacks in close formation, which were successfully defeated. We captured four more heavy guns, and advanced beyond the river.

## THE GERMANS COMPLETELY DEFEATED ON THE YSER.

## EVACUATE ALL POSITIONS.

LONDON, May 18, 1.50 a.m.

The Paris evening "communique" states: The enemy in Belgium, menaced with complete envelopment by our successes, evacuated last night all their remaining positions west of the Yser. We maintained all our positions on the east bank.

The British, north of La Bassée, who were attacked by the Germans very strongly on Sunday night, continued to fight victoriously on Monday. They carried several trenches and inflicted very heavy losses on the enemy.

A detachment of 100 Germans was caught between the British machine guns and the German artillery, and was entirely exterminated.

The British took a thousand prisoners and also machine-guns. A thick fog in North Artois prevented action, but sharp fighting was continued on the slopes of Loreste, where all the German counter-attacks were repulsed. We attacked Ailly Wood at dawn to-day, and carried several German works. We captured three machine-guns and 250 prisoners.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

ITALY ON THE EVE OF A  
AUSTRIAN AND GERMAN MINISTERS DEPARTING.

LONDON, May 17.

Reuter's correspondent at Rome telegraphs that the newspapers announce that the departure of the Austrian and German Ambassadors is imminent. Two special trains are held in readiness to convey them to their respective countries.

## HUGE DEMONSTRATIONS.

There have been demonstrations on a huge scale in the Italian cities, the populace rejoicing at the return of Sig. Salandra. It is emphasised that the crisis has resulted in the uniting of Italy under the national flag.

May 18.

Anti-German feeling is high. The municipality proposes to alter the German-named streets. The Italian, French and Russian flags are flying everywhere.

## GERMANY AND THE SITUATION.

LONDON, May 18.

An Amsterdam telegram states that the most influential German newspapers declared that war with Italy can hardly be prevented, and they assert that Signor Salandra and Sonnino have entered into an agreement with the Entente. It is reported that already one and three quarter millions of Italians are mobilised.

## GERMANS ANNIHILATED BY THEIR OWN ARTILLERY.

LONDON, May 17.

Field-Marshal Sir John French, in a bulletin, says: The first Army to-day had further successes to the south of Richebourg and Lavours, all the German trenches along a front of two miles being captured. Several bodies of Germans surrendered voluntarily to our troops, who continue to fight with great gallantry and determination. One of these bodies, in attempting to surrender, was caught by German artillery and practically annihilated.

The numbers of prisoners taken have not yet been ascertained, but 550 have been cleared to the lines of communication.

## TWO ZEPPELINS REPORTED DESTROYED.

LONDON, May 18.

Unconfirmed reports from Northern France state that a Zeppelin was shelled by a French destroyer and fell into the sea. The airship disappeared off Gravelines. The crew were drowned.

A Zeppelin was damaged by guns at the Calais forts, and fell two miles from Dunkirk. The airship was wrecked, and the crew of forty were captured. A telegram from Rotterdam says that two Zeppelins passed Flushing on Sunday night, proceeding seaward, and only one returned.

## CHILDREN KILLED AT CALAIS.

LONDON, May 17.

Reuter's correspondent at Calais telegraphs that a Zeppelin dropped bombs on the town, killing some children.

## FRENCH SUCCESS IN CAMEROONS.

LONDON, May 17.

Reuter's Paris correspondent telegraphs that the French had a brilliant success in the Cameroons, capturing Fecka. Our losses were insignificant, while the enemy's losses were serious.

## TURKS MASSACRE 6,000 ARMENIANS.

LONDON, May 17.

A telegram from Urmiah on the 15th inst. states that 6,000 Armenians have been massacred at Van. The Armenians are now defending themselves against the Turks and Kurds, but help is urgently needed.

## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

## PARADES.

Parades for Thursday, 20th inst.—5.15 p.m.—Civil Service Co.—Aiming Drill and Musketry exercises at Headquarters.

5.30 p.m.—Right Section M.G. Co.—Revolvers, Squad drill, Trained men, aiming instruction, at Headquarters. Left Section M.G. Co.—Rifle exercises and bayonet fighting at Headquarters. Sergeant Bullock will attend. Right Half Scouts Co.—Company drill and skirishing at Happy Valley. Fall in on road between Law Courts and City Hall at 5.15 p.m. and proceed by special train. Remainder all.

On duty at Headquarters and Now-loon—From 7 a.m. tomorrow to 7 a.m. 21st inst.: No. 1 Section Artillery Battery and Centre Section M.G. Co. Officer on duty: Lieut. Kennett.

From 7 a.m. 21st to 7 a.m. 22nd inst.: No. 2 Section Artillery Battery and Right Section M.G. Co. Officer on duty: Lieut. C. Smith.

Orderly Officer for week: Lieut. Preston. Orderly Sergeant for week: Corp. Carpenter.

Day guard at Headquarters.—Only the N.C.O. and the first sentry are required to parade at 7 a.m.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

Orders by Major Wakeman, O.C.H.K.V.R.

Gen. Club Hill guard will be relieved by the H.K.V.C. on Saturday, May 22nd. Detention Camp guard: The Reserve will relieve the H.K.V.C. on Saturday, May 22nd, and the following details will be provided daily from the following details:—

Saturday, May 22nd: Sections 3 and 4 of A Co. under Capt. W. L. Carter. Sunday, May 23rd: Sections 1 and 2 of B Co. under Capt. Bruton.

Monday, May 24th: Sections 3 and 4 of B Co. under Lieut. Donnan.

Tuesday, May 25th: Section 1 of C Co. under Lieut. Branch.

Wednesday, May 26th: Sections 2, 3 and 4 of C Co. under Capt. D. Landale.

Thursday, May 27th: Sections 1 and 3 of A Co. under Lieut. Ewan-Jones.

Friday, May 28th: Sections 2 and 4 of A Co. under Lieut. C. H. Blanton.

These guards will consist of 1 Officer, 3 N.C.O.s and 24 men and will fall in

Murray Park at 6.20 p.m. Dress marching order with haversack, waterbottle, soap and 150 rounds of ammunition. Dinner will be provided. Private raincoats should be carried rolled over the right shoulder.

Volunteer Headquarters guard: A guard of 1 N.C.O. and 3 men will be on duty from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily and will be provided by the following details:—

Saturday, May 22nd: Section 1 of C Co. Sunday, May 23rd: Section 4 of C Co. Monday, May 24th: Section 1 of A Co. Tuesday, May 25th: Section 3 of A Co. Wednesday, May 26th: Section 1 of B Co. Thursday, May 27th: Section 3 of B Co. Friday, May 28th: Sections 2 and 3 of C Co.

These guards will be detailed by the Section Commanders who will report to the Orderly Sergeant the day before.

Orderly Sergeant: Corp. J. A. Young. TRANSFER.

Pte. F. Graham is transferred from Section 1 of C Co. to Section 3 of B Co. resigns.

Pte. W. Nicholson to A Co. Section 1. Pte. J. A. Bullen to B Co. Section 2.

POLICE RESERVE ORDERS.

Parades—Central Police Station.

To-day, May 19th.—Nil. Thursday, May 20th.—The whole of class C (as detailed for Musketry Meeting) for instruction in the use of Service Rifles, 5.30 p.m. sharp. Men who have had actual experience in the use of such rifles are exempt from this parade.

The Kowloon section of the British Company will receive this instruction at the Water Police Station.

Friday, May 21st.—The whole of classes A and B, for instruction in the use of Service Rifles 5.30 p.m. sharp.

BRITISH COMPANY.

Until further orders, members residing in Hongkong, including Banjo and Tully, will form No. 1 Platoon, and will be temporarily in the charge of Mr. T. Hyner, Superintendent of Mails, General Post Office.

Similarly, residents in Kowloon will form No. 2 Platoon and be temporarily in charge of Mr. A. H. Hewitt, H.K. Co. Cement Works, Hang Hom.

Mr. S. J. Chin-Chen, North China Insurance Company, will temporarily take charge of all musketry matters and keep all papers in connection with the Company.

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## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## THE CRISIS IN PORTUGAL.

## ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF THE PREMIER.

LONDON, May 18.

A telegram from Madrid states that the Premier, Sr. Chagas, while proceeding to Lisbon was seriously wounded by a revolver shot at a wayside station. His assailant was killed.

Later.

The Madrid correspondent of the Times says it is impossible to ascertain details of the events in Portugal, but it is reported that a fresh revolution is raging, and that the situation is most critical.

The latest casualties reported are, says a Lisbon telegram, two hundred killed and five hundred wounded, mostly of the Republican Guard.

The city is now calm and well-guarded. Soldiers and sailors are patrolling the streets.

A Government edict guarantees the protection of individuals and property.

## THE KING'S DERBY HORSES.

LONDON, May 17.

All His Majesty's Derby horses have been scratched except Sammarco.

(His Majesty had six horses entered for the Derby, the other five being Markie, Friar Marcus, Border Don, Markhope and Jungle Cock. According to Reuter's Guide Markie, Markhope and Jungle Cock did not run as two-year-olds. Border Don ran once only but did not get placed, while Friar Marcus ran five times and won all his races. Sammarco, a bay colt by Marceville Saint Mead, also ran five times, getting second three times, third once and was once not placed. It is possible that he has turned out more of a stayer than Friar Marcus, the speedy young sprinter, but this is rather disapproved by the fact that he is the only one of the six not entered for the St. Leger.—Ed.)

CHINESE BURGLAR'S OUTFIT.

A packet of pepper, sticks of bamboo, and three or four pieces of wire, described as a fitting outfit with which to commit an armed robbery, were produced by Detective Willis at the Magistrate's this morning as evidence against a Chinese charged with being in unlawful possession of such an outfit. The officer said that while he was conducting enquiries into an armed robbery at 449 Shanghai Street he was taken by one of the prisoners to a house at Tai Kok's in the hope of making further arrests.

Nothing was discovered to warrant an arrest, but after waiting awhile the defendant, crept up the stairs, put his head around the door, walked in and was arrested.

Defendant told the Magistrate that it was given to him by a man named Kwong Chung to take to the house. Sergt. Willis said that the Police were on the look out for the man named but, so far, they had not been able to find him. He believed that the defendant was connected with an armed robbery in the country but he was unable to produce any evidence to that effect, but he could prove that he had been convicted for larceny last year. The Magistrate ordered defendant to prison for fourteen days without hard labour.

## THE NELLORE.

## Extensive Repairs Necessary.

The work of repairing the N. S. Nellore, which struck a rock, in Foochow Harbour last week, is being pushed on night and day, but it is anticipated that she will not be ready to sail till Sunday or Monday. Her keel plate is badly bent, and it can be definitely estimated how long repairs will take.

## RESULT OF THE CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CONCERT.

The Organising Committee of the Catholic Women's League, Belgian Relief Fund Concert, send as a statement of accounts of the concert held at the City Hall on the 12th inst.:—

Sale of tickets.....\$ 508.00  
Sale of Programmes.....22.70  
Expenditure.....42.70

Donation.....145.00  
Total.....\$ 590.00

EXPENDITURE.  
Hire of Hall and electric light.....\$ 25.00  
Cheong Lee, chairs (reduced rates).....7.20  
Coolie hire for plants.....2.40  
Coolie hire for piano.....4.00  
Gala tickets to servants.....2.00

The sum of \$500.00 has been handed to the Acting Belgian Consul General for the Fund.

The Organising Committee wish to avail themselves of this opportunity of expressing their most grateful thanks to all who so kindly contributed towards the success of the concert. To the Misses Lethers, the performers and members for their untiring efforts in selling tickets, and the public for their generous support. Messrs. Noronha & Co. for printing tickets and programmes, Messrs. Moutrie & Co. for loan of piano, and the Boy Scouts for services at the Hall. It was undoubtedly due to the good will and enthusiasm displayed by all, that the concert was such a success.

## VALUABLE FRENCH INVENTION.

Paris, April 7.—The official military organ states that the introduction of a new explosive shell has increased the "power" of the "seventy" guns tenfold.

## To-day's Advertisements

## NOTICE.

ERNEST WILLIAM KNIGHT, I, heretofore called and known by the name of ERNEST WILLIAM SCHENK, hereby give Public Notice that on the 18th day of May, 1915, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished and abandoned the use of my said surname of SCHENK and then assumed and adopted, and determined thenceforth in all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the surname of KNIGHT instead of the said surname of SCHENK.

And I give further Notice that by a deed poll dated the 18th day of May, 1915, duly executed and attested I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the said surname of SCHENK and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the surname of KNIGHT instead of SCHENK and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known and described by the name of ERNEST WILLIAM KNIGHT exclusively.

Dated the 18th day of May, 1915.

ERNEST WILLIAM KNIGHT.  
late ERNEST WILLIAM SCHENK.  
Hongkong, May 18, 1915. 446

## MRS. PANKHURST'S PATRIOTISM.

London, April 8.—Several English women have decided to attend the International Peace Congress to be held at the Hague on the 28th inst. The British delegation includes Mrs. Despard, Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, and Mrs. Snowden, (wife of Mr. Philip Snowden, Labour M. P. for Blackburn).

Mrs. Pankhurst, on behalf of the Women's Social and Political Union, disapproves of the conference. She declares that it is unthinkable for English women to meet German women while the relatives of the latter are murdering British people on the high seas and committing awful horrors in Belgium.

## To-day's Advertisements

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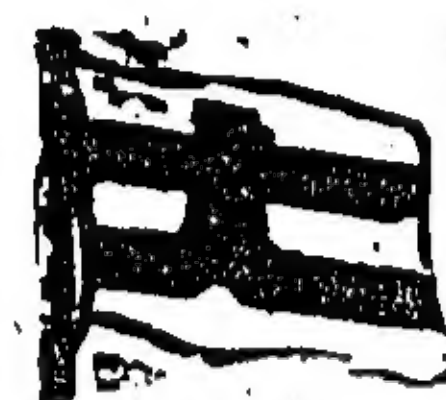
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SHANGHAI	CHOISANG	TUESDAY, May 25, Daylight
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